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TEN LEAVE TODAY NOON

Another Party of Drafted Men Start on Their Way to Camp Lee at Petersburg.

Ten more of the men called for by the selective draft law left Alexandria on the noon train today for Camp Lee at Petersburg. Their names are:

Ryland Albert Fones, Detlef T. Bottger, John Drowns, Frederick Mallon, Walter Scott Smith, Clinton L. Herbert, Eugene Wilburn, Samuel J. Haynes, John L. Gerlacher and Frederick W. Rice. Samuel J. Haynes was appointed captain to take charge of the men until their arrival at camp. Wm. Edward Ketland and Mm. B. Trayloe will also go to the camp on Monday or Tuesday next.

Arrested as Deserters.

Sheriff Howard B. Fields of Alexandra county, arrested four men who did not appear when summoned by the draft board and they have been turned over to the officals at Fort Myer. Their names are: Geo. S. Kelly Wm. Lewis Wright, Frank L. Leonard and Andrew Jackson. Leonard is a white man, the other three colored. Two others, taken into custody by the Alexandria police department, have been turned over to St. Asaph authorities.

The military regulations hold that a man who fails to report to his local board for military service at the time specified in his order to report is a deserter. A reward of $50 is offered for the delivery at the nearest army camp or post of a deserter. Sheriff Fields will, therefore, be entitled to $200 for the quartette he bagged and the local police $100 for the two men they secured.

Violation of Uncle Sam's military laws is just a little risky, to say the least.

LA FOLLETTE DEFIANT.

Wisconsin Senator Declares the President Has Usurped the Powers of Congress.

Senator La Follette today, in a dramatic speech before the Senate, defied his critics.

Denouncing the "campaign of libel and character assassination" against those opposing war measures, he declared, "Neither the clamor of the mob nor the voice of power will turn me."

It was the first time a Senator ever replied to so serious a charge from the electorate.

The galleries were packed and the Senate floor crowded when the Wisconsin Senator began his address. At first he spoke slowly and in deep voice, scarcely audible. Soon, however, he was hitting his stride. Waving his manuscript in one hand, he pounded on the desks about him—vigorously reaffirmed his position on the war.

"Not by the breadth of a hair," he shouted "would he deviate from the course I mark out for myself, guided by such knowledge as I can obtain, and controlled and directed by a solemn conviction of right and duty."

SLUMP IN CHURCH ROLLS.

Baptists Blame "Tin Pan Evangelism" for Marked Losses.

Vineland, N. J., Oct. 6.—A warning note was sounded Wednesday evening at the closing of the West New Jersey Baptist Association's annual meeting that church membership is ebbing. The report showed that in 1915 there were 1216 baptisms in churches of the association;. 575 in 1916, and only 216 in 1917. A lively discussion followed. The great majority of the ministers present blamed the tabernacle evangelism for this situation. Great numbers were induced to sign cards and say they were converted, but they soon cooled off and dropped out. One pastor said out of 135 that joined his church, only five "stuck."

The ministers agreed that personal work of the pastor is the only way to conduct a revival that made church workers. In the heat of the discussion tabernacle evangelism was referred to as "commercial" and "tin" pan."

Notice.

B. P. O. Elks, No. 758, will hold its regular meeting Monday, Oct. 8, 1917. Installation of Secretary. Lunch will be served after meeting. 240-1t.

PRICES IN THE MARKET

Offerings Plentiful, But Quotations Show Only Changes Remain at High Water Mark of Last Week.

About the average number of country people were in market this morning. Buyers found there were no material changes in prices. In fact some articles of produce were held at higher figures than those of last Saturday. The stocking of a family larder is becoming a more serious proposition daily, as prices, from present appearances, will not vary materially for some time to come.

Comparatively little fruit is coming to market. A few cantaloupes were in evidence this morning. Most of the offerings sold at 10 cents each. Grapes are now plentiful, and they sold this morning at 25 and 28 cents a basket. Peaches ranged from 50 cents per basket (about a half peck). Eating apples were selling at 8 cents per quarter peck, and cooking varieties at 5 cents. There was an abundance of pears which brought 10 cents per quarter peck.

Butter was selling at the former price—50 cents per pound. Eggs were held at the figures of last Saturday—50 and 55 cents per dozen. Chickens were selling at 35 cents per pound.

Prices of vegetables were, in the main, unchanged.

The following were the quotations: Lima beans 32 and 40 cents per quart; turnips 13 cents per quarter peck; navy beans 35 cents per quart; celery 10 cents per bunch; cymlins 5 cents each; string beans 15 cents per quarter peck; egg plants 5 cents up; cabbage sprouts 25 cents per half peck; green corn 35 and 40 cents per dozen; Irish potatoes 25 cents per half peck; beets three bunches for 10 cents; tomatoes 10 cents per quarter peck; sweet potatoes 8 and 15 cents per quarter peck, according to size; blackeyed peas 25 cents per quart; onions 15 cents per box; cabbage 5 cents up. Some honey was offered. It sold at 18 cents per box.

GREAT BRITISH VICTORY.

Germans Play Unceasing Rays of Hot Metal On Foes.

London, Oct., 6.—The greatest British victory of the war is the way front correspondents describe Haig's smash across the Paschendaele Ridge. A detailed official report stated that six villages were captured in Thursday's drive. The total of prisoners counted so far exceed 5,000.

The Germans did not counter-attack yesterday. Instead they played incessing rays of hot metal from the heaviest guns upon the new British positions, trying to hamper the consolidation work.

Three principal obstacles remain before the whole remainder of the ridge must automatically crumble before the British drive. It is confidently expected that Haig will resume his offensive shortly in order to place himself in complete possession of all the dominating heights before the weather compels both sides to go into winter quarters.

CALF PREDICTS WAR'S END.

Bears Numerals '17 and Profile of Napoleon Bonaparte.

Williamsport, Pa., Oct. 6.—The birth of a calf bearing the figures "17" on its hide, on the farm of G. W. Weaver, near Montgomery, leads many people to believe that the freak forecasts the end of the war before the close of 1917. The figures are nine inches high and one-half inch wide. They are perfectly shown in black on a white background on the left side of the calf.

On the right side is the profile of a stern-looking man waring a military cap, which all beholders so far have declared to be a striking silhouette of Napoleon Bonaparte.

Notice.

I wish to announce that I have been called to the service of my country, and will leave for Camp Lee. I thank the people of Alexandria for their kind patronage, and regret that I am compelled to leave this grand old city, but my country calls me to arms and I cheerfully go and give my aid to the United States in the Great World War. Efforts will be made to continue our business at 303 Cameron Street, and we earnestly solicit your patronage for the one who will run the business during my absence.

Respectfully,
Herbert Printery,
Clinton L. Herbert. 240-1t.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mrs. M. L. Homer and children arrived home today from Blue Ridge Summit, Pa.

Miss Caroline E. Howard, aged 84, died yesterday afternoon at her home on Seminary Hill, near this city.

The regular monthly meeting of the Alexandria Chapter of the American Red Cross, which will also be the annual meeting for the election of officers, will be held Monday morning next at ten o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

The topics of the sermons at the First Baptist Church tomorrow will be: Morning—"The Bible the Only Creed." Evening—"The Pearl of Greatest Price." Sabbath school at that church will be held at the usual hour in the morning 9:30.

The Christian Endeavor of the Second Presbyterian church will hold its regular monthly consecration meeting tomorrow night in the Westminster building. Miss Caroline West will be the leader and the topic will be found in Matt. 11: 25-30. "Christ's Yoke."

An automobile belonging to J. A. Long, of Potomac, was stolen last night from the east side of King street, between Columbus and Alfred. The theft was reported to the police and today the machine was located in Washington. Officer Gill proceeded to that city today returned with the auto and turned it over to its owner.

The Sunday school of the Methodist Protestant church will hold rally day services at 9:30 tomorrow morning at which hour there will be special exercises by the children. Communion service will be held at 11 o'clock, Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15 and preaching at 7:45 in the evening, at which time the pastor, Rev. Raymond W. White, will begin a series of sermons on the "Seven Responsibilities." The special topic for tomorrow night will be "Strong." A cordial invitation is given to the public to attend all the services.

Joseph H. Richardson has sold to Charles F. Holden lot 6, block 10, section 2, at Rosemont.

Millard F. Hobson has sold to Bertha C. Herfurth a house and lot on the east side of Payne street, between Prince and Duke.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Old Dominion Boat club will give a subscription dance this evening at the club house.

Bernard DeVaughan and Karel Riesselmann of this city, members of the Third Regiment band, District of Columbia National Guard, left with that organization on Tuesday for the training camp at Charlotte, north Carolina.

Services at Trinity Methodist church tomorrow will be as follows: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 in the morning; preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor, also Communion service; at 7:45 in the evening there will be a song service and sermon, subect, "A King in Hiding." All will be welcome.

Have you bought a Liberty bond? If not you will have an opportunity to do so next week as the campaign is to be started here in earnest at that time. The bankers are to get busy Monday and it is hoped everybody else will follow suit and help Alexandria do its share. When you buy a bond you not only serve your country, but make a good investment as well.

The Second Presbyterian Church through the pastor, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, is preparing an honor roll of the young men who have responded to the call to the colors. Many of them were members of the Young Men's Bible class. The list so far numbers 20, which is a good showing for one church. It is the purpose of the pastor to keep in personal touch with these young men by letters. These letters will be read to the congregation from time to time.

The rooms in the Girls Club at 819 Prince street, are now furnished ready for occupants.

The October term of the Corporation Court, Judge L. C. Barley, will begin at 11 o'clock Monday.

The Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting for October on Monday evening.

Alfred Mason, colored, was arrested yesterday on the charge of failing to register last June. He will be turned over to the federal authorities.

There was but one case before the Police Court this morning. Sarah Parker, colored, had been arrested for being drunk. She was sent to the workhouse for 30 days.

The steamer Northland, of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, arrived at this port about three hours late this morning, having ran aground at Old Point during a heavy wind storm early last night. No damage resulted.

The services for the Second Presbyterian church will be held in the Westminster building tomorrow as repairs to the church are not complete. Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison will preach in the morning on "Life without Christ." The evening meeting will be of an evangelistic character. Sabbath school will be held at 9:30 and the men's Bible class at ten o'clock.

Between two and three thousand teachers and scholars are expected to join in the Sunday School parade which will be held in this city one week from tomorrow, Oct. 14th. The parade will take place at two o'clock in the afternoon, with Charles E. Pierpoint as marshal. According to announcement just made, meetings are to be held in the First Baptist, St. Paul's and Trinity Methodist churches after the parade at which addresses will be made by speakers to be named later.

MUST SWEAR FOR LIQUOR

Affidavit Must Accompany all Orders of Washingtonians After District Goes Dry.

Washingtonians who order liquor from Baltimore after November 1 will have to be armed with an affidavit. This is provided in the Sheppard bill and every order must be accompanied by an affidavit stating that the liquor is not intended for unlawful purposes. Lawyers here say that the law is specific in this regard.

Washington is not bone dry. and liquor can be imported so long as this section of the act is observed. The indications now are that the majority of saloons will close at least a week or 10 days before the town formally goes dry. Stocks are being sold out and the additional prices charged, due to the new revenue act, are having their effect.

Theda Bara Tonight at the Richmond

At the Richmond tonight in "Her Greatest Love," the new special super de luxe William Fox photodrama, founded on Ouida's novel, "Moths," Miss Theda Bara reaches the height of her artistic career in her impersonations of a young, unsophisticated English country girl, and later that of a woman whose very soul has been torn by agonizing emotions. Miss Bara shows a versatility that has seldom been equalled in photodrama art. Her characterization of Vere Herbert is evidence that Miss Bara possesses a depth of feeling and emotion entirely foreign to one who has made vampire roles famous the world over.

Marjorie Rambeau will be seen at the Surprise in "Mary Moreland."

VOTE TO EXPEL HARDWICK

Savannah Commercial Club Asks His Expulsion From Senate.

Savannah, Ga., Oct. 5.—By unanimous vote, the Greater Savannah Commercial Club yesterday voted to demand the expulsion from the United States senate of Senator Thomas W. Hardwick, because of his anti-draft stand. The action followed repudiation by Burke and Jenkins counties of an invitation to the Georgia senator to attend the county fair this month.

CHARGED WITH CONTEMPT.

Sensation Sprung at Philadelphia Primary Riot Hearing.

Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—In addition to the charges of conspiracy to commit murder, aggravated assault and battery and violations of election law in connection with the political feud in the Fifth ward in which a policeman was killed, Mayor Thomas B. Smith now faces a charge of contempt of court for refusing to produce original reports detectives made to him of conditions in the ward.

The Mayor was bound over in his own recognizance pending the ending of the present hearing of his case. If at that time he still refuses to obey the court's order the contempt charge will be turned over to the District Attorney for submission to the grand jury.

BOOZE PATRONS STRIKE.

Refuse to Drink When Prices go up and Glasses Shrink.

Pottsville, Pa., Oct. 6.—The brewcries of this county raised beer another half dollar yesterday, making the price now $9.50 a barrel. Saloonkeepers declare that, even with smaller beer glasses, they will be unable to meet this high price, and predict that 500 saloons will go out of business in this county at the end of the present license year.

A number of saloons in this city which raised the price of bar whisky to 15 cents, in glasses which had been cut down one half in capacity, met with a novel strike on the part of old customers. Scores refused to pay the increased price and walked out without buying anything.

BREAKS WITH GERMANY.

Peru's Congress Votes After an All Night Session.

Lima, Peru, Oct. 6.—At an all-night session both houses of the Peruvian Congress voted to break off diplomatic relations with Germany.

The majority in favor of the resolution was ninety-nine votes.

Salt Water and Potomac Oysters. J. Brill, No. 2, King street. Phone 307J.

SOUTH GATE CLUB.

Holds its First Fall Meeting—Has About 160 Members.

The first fall meeting of the South Gate Club, composed of Master masons of the Southern Railway System general offices of Washington, was held on the evening of October 2nd at the new Ebbitt Hotel, with an excellent attendance. This is one of the most active Masonic clubs in this jurisdiction and the interest shown by its members in their meeting promises a busy season for them.

After the regular business session those present were treated with an excellent address by Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, of Alexandria, Va. Other guests of the evening were Worshipful Master Kahn, of Washington Centennial Lodge and J. William May a well known entertainer of Andrew Jackson Lodge. After adjournment a light buffet lunch was served. The next meeting will be early in November at which time the club will have as its guests the entire Advisory Board of the Masonic clubs of the District of Columbia of which Mr. Lynn H. Troutman is president. The officers of the club are: President W. H. Melchior, Alexandria, Va.; vice president, H. L. Parkinson, Washington; Secretary, R. H. Wolfe; Treasurer, H. K. Pimper. The total membership is about 160 of which quite a few are from Alexandria.

ACCUSED THEIR STEPFATHER.

Two Young Girls of Elkridge Charge Him With Assault.

Ellicott City, Oct. 6.—Charged with assault by each of his two stepdaughters, Frank Klama about 35 years old, of Elkridge, was committed to jail without bail by Magistrate Edward M. Gillet, at Ellicott City, Thursday for the action of the Howard County Grand Jury, which will convene March 18, 1918.

Klama was arrested Wednesday night upon warrants procured by Klama's wife, Mrs. Mary Klama. They charged Klama with attacking his stepdaughters, Hattie Dowling, 15 years old, and Anna Dowling, 13 years old. Klama at the hearing yesterday made no statement.

REASSIGN VIRGINIANS

Alexandrians Now in Training at Fort Myer and Branch of Service in Which They are at Work.

Virginia men have been re-assigned in the training camp for reserve officers at Fort Myer to the branch of service for which they have expressed a preference. The camp, as reorganized, has started on intensive training in the arts of warfare, as particularly adapted to these branches—infantry, field artillery and coast artillery.

As the camp has now effected a permanent organization for the remainder of the three-month period of intensive training, the 1,450 men have been assigned to barracks which are most advantageously located for the work of the respective units.

The figures 1, 2, 3, etc., after each name indicate which of the nine companies of infantry the man belongs to. The 1B, 2B and 3B indicate the battery of field artillery of which the man is a member. The initials C. A. C. show that he belongs to the coast artillery company.

The names of the following Alexandrians appear in the list:

John H. Sherman, Company 1.
Seaton T. Preston, Company 3,
Daniel B. Miller, jr., Company 8.
Philip Dawson, Company 3,
William Beattie Champion, C. A. C.
Douglas W. Neff, Company 7.
George W. Brent, 3rd Battery.
Philip C. Crilly, Company 2,
Chester D. Hubbard, C. A. C.
Wilson R. Russell, Company 4.
George R. Simpson, Company 8,
John R. Cato, jr. Company 7.
James R. Caton, jr. Company 7.

WORLD'S AFFAIRS OURS.

Taft Says We Could Not Keep Out of World Politics if We Would.

Niles, Ohio, Oct. 6.—"We could not keep out of world politics if we would. That which affects the world affects us. The Monroe Doctrine is becoming a more serious limitation upon European action than ever before."

This was the declaration of former President William H. Taft, in the principal address here yesterday at the dedication of the big marble memorial building and monument erected to the memory of the late President William McKinley, who was born in this little northeastern Ohio town.

Mr. Taft said:

"Were McKinley alive today how his patriotic heart, his broad vision and his vibrant words would be united in supporting the government in its constructive measures to carry on the great world struggle to victory.

"With what firmness he would reject all propositions to compromise by proposal of a patched-up peace. He would not fail to see that in the present issue no peace is possible until secured by victory—that no solution is worthy of our history but a defeat of militarism."

Mr. Taft declared that it is better to fight Germany in company with the Allies than to fight her alone later. He insisted that had we been able to stay out of the war we would have found ourselves in continued friction with Germany "until she thought the opportunity had come for her to strike."

"Our present situation is a mere development of the disclosure of our real situation in the world, which McKinley recognized and made preparation to meet," continued Mr. Taft.

AIR RAIDS ALARM GERMANY.

Berlin Says Enemy Bases Must Be Pressed Back.

Amsterdam, Oct. 6.—A semiofficial statement issued in Berlin refers to the attacks of Entente airmen on German towns and says they prove it is necessary for Germany to press back the enemy aerial bases as far as possible.

"If today enemy airmen had bases on the Meuse line or in Belgium we should discover that not only western Germany but the heart of Germany would be exposed to enemy bombs," says the statement. It draws the conclusion that Belgium must no longer be dependent in a political or military sense on Entente powers.

TEMPEST IN RICHMOND

Rain and Hail With Wind Blowing at Fifty-two Miles an Hour—Much Damage Results in Capital City.

While rain was falling in torrents, with occasional thunder and lightning in Alexandria at the close of yesterday, Richmonders were being terrorified by the elements which came in the shape of rain, hail, thunder and lightning accompanied by a dangerous wind which blew at the rate of 52 miles an hour. Alexandria escaped the wind.

Sweeping across the city at a fifty two-miles an hour clip, the storm in Richmond played havoc. It was accompanied by rain, hail ,thunder and lightning, the hail being the heaviest to fall in the capital city in a generation.

Considerable damage was done to the State Capitol and in Capitol Square.

"One woman and three men were caught beneath a heavy frame stand which was blown over at the State Fair Grounds.

Though its duration was but a few minutes, it was regarded as the worst storm which has visited Richmond in many years.

Hundreds of electric lights were put out of commission, and there were many homes last night in which the occupants retired by candle or lamp light. Telephone wires and poles also went down before the storm.

Damage to the Capitol building and grounds was done by wind and rain. The wind crushed the huge skylight over the hall of the House of Delegates and badly damaged a part of the roof above the Senate Chamber.

In the Capitol Square the wind uprooted several trees and did considerable damage to others. Many limbs and small branches were broken, and after the storm the grounds were littered with branches.

ORDER A "STACK OF CAKES"

Get the "Eat More Corn" Habit at Breakfast Time—Recipe for Corn Pancakes.

Washington, Oct. 6.—Order a "stack of corn" or a "stack of kafir" instead of a "stack of wheat" cakes for breakfast. Pancakes made of corn or kafir corn or one of these grains with a little wheat flour are fully as palatable and nutritious as cakes made of wheat only, say food specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Millions of wheat cakes are consumed at the American breakfact table every morning. Get the "stack of corn" habit and save the wheat.

The department is urging restaurants and hotel proprietors to instruct their chefs to prepare and have ready for use batter for corn cakes each morning so that patrons may order corn cakes instead of wheat cakes. Corn cakes have always been popular on the family table. By featuring the "stack of corn" cakes on their menus it is believed patrons will be glad to form the "eat more corn" habit at breadfast time.

Corn cakes with sirup are appetizing and satisfying. The following recipe is recommended:

Corn-Meal Pancakes.

1 cup corn meal, 1 cup flour (wheat), 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-2 tablespoon sugar, 1 tablespoon melted butter, 1 egg and 1 cup milk.

Mix the dry ingredients, add melted butter, well-beaten egg and milk, bake like ordinary griddle cakes.

BALTIC FLEET IN LINE.

Dispute With Russian Ministry of Marine Settled.

Petrograd, Oct. 6.—The dispute between the ministry of marine and the Central Committee of the Baltic fleet has been settled by the intervention of th Council of Workmen's and Soldiers' delegation of Petrograd. Admiral Verdervski, minister of marine, has sent a circular letter to the crews of the warships asking them to maintain good order on their vessels because the provisional government had received information that the Germans, wishing to take advantage of the dispute, were preparing for a sudden foray into the Baltic. The fleet committee answered that the dispute had nothing to do with fighting orders, all of which would be obeyed.

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ALL HAIL HAIG!

The German war lords, with all their swash-buckling, cannot blind themselves to the fact that their fighting force has finally met its masters. As a Washington paper says, "The British army has obtained a grip upon one of Germany's strong tendons. The bulldog's jaws are locked. The mere passage of time now means the withdrawal or surrender of Crown Prince Rupprecht. As his position weakens in the bulldog's jaw he will squirm and twist, and as he squirms his strength will diminish faster than it would if he should lie still and wait for death. Since the end is inevitable, it matters little whether the German commander retreats now or surrenders later. The danger that promises to thrust itself before Rupprecht's attention is that he must withdraw, in spite of possible outcries from Germany and in spite of the possible breakdown of the submarine campaign. Conditions are ripe for disaster—for wholesale surrenders, for headlong flight, for mutiny against deadly orders. The German forces need an opportunity to breathe and pull themselves together. They are apt to make fatal blunders if pressed further."

Dispatches from the Western battle front show that British arms have achieved one of the greatest victories of the war, and when the whole story of this battle has been told it may take its place as an unequalled triumph of three years of conflict.

The scenes have been fearful. A solid wall of breaking shells plowed through the German ranks in a hurricane of death and they lie in countless thousands amid the devastation that the barrage left in its wake. Part of these ill-fated troops were the famous guardsmen in whom the German Emperor had taken such pride in the days gone by. But these massed troops were not the only ones to suffer, for reports from prisoners all along the line indicate that the Germans lost heavily throughout the territory involved.

At many places Germans ran in terror or were captured in large numbers as the British attack began. All day streams of broken prisoners have been pouring into the British cages in the rear. Perhaps half of them were wounded. Some were blinded and some were with shattered limbs, a pitiful sight even to those hardened to such scenes.

Taking the battle as a whole, the Germans offered weak resistance to the British advance.

AUSTRIAN IMPUDENCE.

The impudence of Count Czernin the Austrian Minister for Foreign Affairs, is diverting oberves a contemporary which says the chief, or at least the immediate, culprit in this war was not able even to conquer Servia, or drive out Servian invaders, without German assistance. It could not hold the boundaries of Hungary against the Russians so long as the latter were supplied with ammunition. It is unable to hold back the Italian invaders who are boring their way far into Austria and will soon overcome the last serious obstacle between them and Trieste. Under these cheerful conditions Count Czernin tells the allies that they can have peace on easy terms now if they ask for it, but if the goods are not taken at once the price will be marked up; the allies will have to pay a big indemnity to get peace if they do not improve this bargain opportunity.

When a man offers a piece of property cheap if taken at once it is a safe guess that if it is not taken at once he will be even more anxious to sell than now. The longer it remains unsold the more eager he will be to get rid of it.

The recent speeches of Chancellor Michaelis and Foreign Secretary Kuehlmann have made the Austrian and Hungarian newspapers furious. The Vienna Zeit declares that the interests of Germany are not those of Austria. The Vienna Arbeiter Zeitung says: "It looks just as if all this peace talk were nothing whatever but a convenient alibi intended to appease popular opinion and pacify the Socialists."

The allies need make no concessions. Austria is on the verge of ruin, militarily, commercially and financially. Germany is not in so bad a state, but it is pretty desperate. It has been outmanned and outgunned for fifteen months.

LIFELESS CAMPAIGN

The Gazette yesterday urged all suffragans to register and vote at the coming election, and attempted to arouse from lethargy democrats of this and other cities in the commonwealth. Those having the interests of the party at heart would regret to see any material falling off in the vote next month. We have passed through an exciting campaign in which there was a fight in the party, but, like good democrats, all should rally to the support of the man who has been declared the choice of the organization for Governor of the state.

The Richmond Journal in this connection directs attention to the fact that only thirty days remain before the November election, and so far only two or three speeches—and these by Westmoreland Davis—have been made in behalf of the state democratic ticket. All members of the house are to be chosen with the state officers. Promise of an active, vigorous campaign on the part of the Democrats has not materialized, and there are no signs that even an ordinary amount of interest is to be taken. On the other hand, the Republicans are sending out their men and are attacking the opposition.

As the Journal says, one month is a short time for a statewide campaign, and unless the candidates and the public men of the state take a hand, the campaign will drag, lack interest and less than half the democratic vote cast in the primary will be polled. In no section of the state is there a sign of real political activity on the part of the Democrats. They are satisfied with conditions as they exist.

Many and momentous questions are to come to the people of the state for decision at the polls next year. The time is growing short for the men of the state to qualify. Poll taxes must be paid prior to December of this year. Qualifications for the first general election—in June—permits a voter to participate in the primary or primaries that will be held.

CASE OF LA FOLLETTE.

The decision of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections to investigate the charges of disloyalty against Senator La Follette will be generally commended as wise and patriotic. The demand from all over the country for this course was too strong and too insistent to be ignored. Whether the Wisconsin Senator has been disloyal at heart or not, he has been actually aiding the enemies of the United States as is charged by the Baltimore Sun. It was high time that he and all others like him should receive solemn warning that public sentiment will no longer permit such an attitude to be ignored.

We may be sure that the report of the committee to the Senate in December will no tbe made of whitewash. The people of the United States are dreadfully in earnest in this matter, and any attempt to minimize the gravity of La Follette's course would arouse a nation-wide storm of protest. Let him have full justice, but nothing more; but let not false consideration for him work injustice to his country. The expulsion of La Follette from the Senate would greatly grieve the Kaiser.

INEXPENSIVE CAMPAIGNS.

Charles E. Jeffries, who obtained the Democratic nomination for County Controller at the primary election recently in Altoona, Pa., filed an unusual expense account. In a letter to the Prothonotary he said: "To secure 2336 votes and the Democratic nomination for County Controller in Blair county cost me just 25 cents."

The above brings to mind an incident in the life of John Elwes, a millionaire brewer of London, who had a natural aversion to spending a penny for his personal comfort. Although basking in wealth, lived as frugally as Diogenes.

During Mr. Elwes's life a deadlock occurred in one of the districts of England, and it was necessary to look around for a compromise candidate for the House of Commons. The Southwalk brewer was suggested, and a committee was sent to interview him. Mr. Elwes told the committee they could use his name for a seat in the House of Commons upon one condition—he must not be called upon to spend any money in order to be elected. While the committee was disappointed, knowing him to be a millionaire, they finally accepted his terms. After the campaign had proceeded for a time, Mr. Elwes found it necessary to take dinner at a public house in the district in order that the voters might see him. This cost him a shilling (twenty-four cents). He was elected and it was shown that the shilling represented all he had spent in the campaign. Men have been known to spend as much as fifty thousand dollars in order to be elected to seat in the House of Commons, a complimentary position, as the members serve without pay.

AIR REPRISALS.

(Baltimore American.)

No conceivable reason, aside from brutality, can be advanced for the idiotic and criminal air raids of the Germans upon unfortified English cities and towns, except a hope thereby to keep the English busy building air ships for their own protection and thereby lessening the number available for the fronts. If this is the reason, it shows characteristic inability of the German military mind to function accurately.

Reprisals are now demanded and will be entered upon. France is already giving it tit for tat in a manner that has brought home to the German civilians the horrors of apprehension as well as the horrors of suffering from these sources. England and her Allies are now equipped to carry on air raids upon German cities in great numbers. And the Germans having imposed this necessity upon them, the raids will be frequent and as Lloyd George says with compound interst. This will awaken deep resentment among the peoples of South Germany, especially, who are already upon the brink of revolt from Prussia and Prussianism, as they will understand that the acts are in reprisal for the infamies perpetrated through many months by the promoters of air raids upon England. Germany has launched yet another fatal boomerang.

WOULD ALTAR MAP.

Roosevelt Demands The Dissolution of Austria and of Turkey.

New York, Oct. 6.—Theodore Roosevelt, speaking here last night at a "National Service" mass-meeting under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on National Defense, declared the only peace which will make the world safe for democracy must be based upon the complete overthrow of Germany and the dissolution of Austria and Turkey. Included in the program he outlined were a free Arabia and Armenia, Poland and Lithuania, with an independent Czech commonwealth and a Jugoslav state.

"Continually we hear rumors of peace," he said. "I think the circulation of such rumors is injurious to America and to the cause of decency and democracy. We should make it clearly understood that the conduct of Germany has been such that we regard as enemies of mankind all people who would strive to bring about a peace based upon treating German, Austria and Turkey on the one hand, and the Allies on the other, as standing on a footing of equality. The only peace that will make the world safe for democracy is a peace based upon the complete overthrow of Germany and the dissolution of Austria and Turkey.

VOTED $21,390,730,940.

Congress Has Broken all World Records for Appropriations.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The sum of $21,890,730,940, of which approximately $13,000,000,000 is to be used to put America on an efficient war footing, has been appropriated and authorizel in contracts by Congress for the fiscal year to end June 30, 1918, according to a statement issued yesterday by Senator Thomas S. Martin, of Virginia, chairman of the Senate Committee on Appropriations. Of this, more than $21,000,000,000 the sum of $7,000,000,000 is to be loaned to America's allies, and approximately $1,000,000,000 is for normal Governmental expenses.

Senator Martin also gave out a statement reviewing the work of the first war session of Congress and sharply denounced those who have charged the Senate and House as being "laggards and slackers" and not standing for a vigorous policy. He said such criticism shows a lack of appreciation and knowledge of the enormous amount of work which the two houses of Congress have performed.

WANT SINGLE MEN.

New York Exemption Boards Send Recommendations to President and Other High Officials.

New York, Oct. 6.—Recommendations that the liability of married men subject to military service by conscription be postponed until all available unmarried men shall have been called into service are made in a list of suggestions for the improvement of the administration of the draft act prepared here by a number of local board members, addressed to the President, the Governor, the Provost Marshal General and State Adjutant General.

Drafting of married men, while single men without dependents are not called, results, the recommendations say, in "much intense public dissatisfaction and resentment, which as the number of such cases increases must more and more seriously impair public confidence in the whole principle of conscription and to that extent the successful conduct of the war."

"Of course, our recommendation is not intended to apply to registrants whose marriages were contracted with a view to evade conscription," the document adds.

GERMAN PASTOR INDICTED

Rev. John Reichert Accused of Treasonable Utterances.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Oct. 6.—The Federal Grand Jury yesterday returned an indictment against the Rev. John Reichert, pastor of the German Lutheran Church at Lowden, Iowa, charging him with treasonable utterances. Ernest Mier, also of Lowden, was indicted on the same charge.

Charles Louwerse, who confessed he wrote a threatening letter to Col. W. G. Downs, member of the State Council of Defense, was sentenced to three years in Leavenworth penitentiary for misuse of the mails.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

Burned about the whole body, Albert Kues, 17, yesterday afternoon was rushed to the Casualty Hospital, Washington, where it was stated that his recovery was doubtful. Kues was in the act of lighting a cigarette, when his clothes, which was saturated wtih gasoline, caught fire and enveloped him in flame. At the time the youth was working at his place of employment, an automobile accessory shop at 200 Florida avenue northwest.

The Belgian government has issued a gray book refuting allegations against Belgian civilians contained in the German white book of May, 1915, in which it was said Belgian civilians savagely attacked German troops in the early days of the war and that the measures adopted by the Germans were necessary in the interest of preservation of the German army. According to the gray book, between 40,000 and 50,000 houses were destroyed by the Germans.

Joseph Castelli, 24, and Francesco Vetre, 25, were hanged early yesterday at Hartford, Conn., for the murder of Castelli's wife, Annie, in New Haven, April 23, 1916. The men were convicted of luring Mrs. Castelli to New Haven, where the husband killed her by striking her in the head with an iron bar.

Instead of being a happy bride Mlle. Martha Patrie, a cabaret dancer of New York, grieves over the suicide of her fiance, a handsome lieutenant of the Russian navy. Lieut. Kurkeuakov knew the girl but a few days, wooed madly and gained her consent to marriage. The wedding was set for 8 o'clock Thursday night and the lieutenant had invited several frineds to witness the ceremony. The dancer was late and the lieutenant fretted. When chided he drew a pistol and sent a bullet in his heart. Ten minutes later the dancer arrived.

John Dunbar Wright, of New York, was killed instantly yesterday when the automobile which he was driving skidded into a telegraph pole and overturned on the road between Middletown and Port Jervis, New York. He was crushed under the car.

Inquiry by a special House committee into the remarks of Representative Heflin of Alabama, in connection with reports that German money had been used to influence Congress was completed yesterday in one short session and a report will be made today. In effect the report is expected to repeat what Mr. Heflin has said many times—that he has no direct evidence of wrongdoing against any member of Congress—and add that there is nothing to investigate. Heflin made this explanation again yesterday before the committee.

A Belgian official communication says: "Zele, in eastern Flanders, has been fined $20,000 for the giving of food and cigarettes to passing English prisoners. Furthermore, all houses must be shut up at 6 o'clock in the evening which nobody is to be allowed in the streets."

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association of Baltimore yesterday sent a telegram to Vice President Marshall and the two United States Senators from Maryland requesting that the Senate expel Senator Robert M. La Follette for his unpatriotic acts and utterances.

Defying the Democratic Congress Premier Kerensky has framed a coalition cabinet. The congress had issued an "ultimatum" to him to the effect that no action must be taken without the full co-operation and consent of the Congress.

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MUST STEP UP TO OFFICE

Taxpayers Warned to Make Returns Without Being Sent For.

Washington, Oct., 6.—Notice to the public to make its tax returns to the Government under the new War Revenue law was issued last night by Internal Revenue Commission Roper, in an interprelative statement of the law's operation. Warning was given that in no case would the Government take the initiative in getting in returns, although all returns would be verified and that everybody concerned should communicate promptly with the nearest revenue office. Persons failing to make returns, Mr. Roper announced, will be regarded as tax slackers and penalties will be enforced against them. As outlined in the statement, the following persons are affected and must make returns to the Government.

All individuals receiving incomes of more than $1,000 a year.

All corporations, joint stock companies and associations.

All distillers, rectifiers, wholesalers and retailers, holders of distilled spirits intended for sale or to be used for manufacturing purposes.

All dealers in fermented liquors or malt liquors, wines, cordials, liquers, domestic and imported.

All dealers in soft drinks, table waters and carbonic acid gas.

All manufacturers of and dealers in cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, snuff and cigarette papers.

All carriers of freight, express or passengers, and all operators of pipe lines.

All dealers in life, marine, inland, fire and casualty insurance.

All manufacturers and wholesale dealers in motor vehicles of every kind, musical instruments, motion-picture films, jewelry, boats, sporting goods, perfumes, cosmetics, medicinal preparations, chewing gum and cameras.

All proprietors of amusement places, including cabarets.

"All persons executing legal documents of any type.

All traders on produce or stock exchanges and boards of trade.

All importers of merchandise.

All manufacturers or importers of playing cards.

MALTREAT PRISONERS.

German System Aimed at Annihilation of French Race, Is Belief.

German atrocities upon French war prisoners, and the anxiety with which France is looking to the United States, are vividly portrayed in a letter received yesterday by prof. Francesco Ventresca, translator in the War Department, from Prof. Henri Bresse, near the Jura Mountains. Chomard and Ventresca in early manhood taught in German schools together.

"According to a German official report, published a year ago, 10,000 of our soldiers were then filling the insane asylums of Germany.

"Under all sorts of pretexts they are inflicting terrible reprisals. Last year they sent 20,000 to Russian Poland. This year they sent 25,000 to the French front, where they were exposed to fire from our guns. They were packed in barracks too small to afford comfort and had no fire. They were not allowed to receive parcels from home and were made to work about 100 yards behind the German first lines.

"Of the 25,000 nearly 7,500 were killed by our projectiles or perished from disease. The others were taken back to Germany in a pitiful condition, crippled for the rest of their lives.

"It is a question of the future of our race, which Germany seems to want to annihilate."

BERNSTORFF'S MACHINATIONS.

Received Quarter of a Million Through Dutsche Bank.

New York, Oct. 6.— Count Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff, then Imperial German Ambassador to the United States, received some time in 1916 from the Deutsche Bank in Berlin a quarter of a million dollars which may become the object of a new investigation either by the New United States Secret Service. This sum is separate from the $2,000,000 sent here by the German foreign office through the same Berlin bank for Bolo Pasha, the French corruption paymaster.

"About the same time Count von Bernstorff had $5,000 and then $10,000 paid to one "Mr. Kramer," of Paterson, N. J.. To these two payments also, considerable mystery attaches.

These new traces, leading, it is believed, to the heart of the ramifications of German government "slush" fund in operations in this country were uncovered voluntarily by Hugo Schmidt, accredited representative in America of the Deutsche Bank.

Washington, Oct. 6.—The State Department last night adduced direct proof that the $1,700,000 which Bolo Pasha sent to France for the corruption of the French press came from Berlin foreign office on the order of Ambassador von Bernstorff. The Department made public the exchange of telegrams between Bernstorff and Gottlieb von Jagow, the then German minister of foreign affairs, through which the expenditure was authorized—as "a loan" to bring about peace in an enemy country.

SCENE IN COURT.

Women Shoots Negro Minister Who Had Murdered Her Husband.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6.—In revenge for the killing of her husband, Arthur N. Dorsett, a city detective, Mrs. Anna Dorsett Thursday night in the crowded Jackson county criminal court room shot and seriously wounded William David Jones, a negro minister, who was on trial for the murder of the officer.

"Thank God now I am avenged," Mrs. Dorsett cried.

"Get him again," urged Mrs. Helen Schaffer, Mrs. Dorsett's sister, when the negro, still alive, rolled over under a table and she, too, attempted to fire a shot. Officers in the courtroom disarmed the woman and placed Mrs. Dorsett under arrest on a charge of assault with intent to kill. She was released on a $2,000 bond.

Order was restored in the courtroom and within thirty minutes the jury returned a verdict of guilty against Jones providing for a sentance of 50 years in the State penitentiary.

Officer Dorsett, with a fellow detective, John Clifford, was shot by Jones on the night of August 6 while investigating the alleged theft by the negro preacher of a dog.

BAR TO SAILING VESSELS

Move to Prevent U-Boats Taking Supplies From Ships.

Germany's submarines, practically driven out of the North Sea are recently operating off the French-Spanish coasts seeking American vessels, will have to move to another field.

This was disclosed yesterday through information received by members of the Shipping Board in connection with the order issued last Saturday to sailing vessels that they would not be permitted to go through the submarine zone. When the order went out many vessels were far out to sea. Wireless messages were sent for them to return and they have been picked up by convoys and are now safely back in port.

German submarines, it became known, have been lying in wait for such American ships and taking their supplies.

With the barring of the zone to the slow-going prey, the submarines will again have to keep in touch with their actual bases.

The faster moving steamers, with their gun crews, are not such easy victims as the sailing vessels.

TWO YEARS FOR EXEMPTORS

Members of New York Draft Board Sentenced for Graft.

New York, Oct. 6.—Maximum prison sentences of two years each were imposed in the Federal Court yesterday upon Dr. Henry Seligman, physician of a Brooklyn draft board, and Nathan Ehrlich and Lazzarus Jacobson, clerks, as penalty for recently exempting a man examined for the draft. Seligman, in addition, was fined $3,000.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

The jury yesterday in the Canter trial at Abingdon, was unable to agree on the conviction or acquittal of James Canter, who was alleged to have taken part in the brutal murder of Mrs. Maude Wilson, who was slain while alone in her home, three miles north of Bristol, nearly two years ago. This is the fourth trial that has resulted in a hung jury. The first trial of James Canter resulted in his conviction, but he was granted a new trial when Luther Canter, his brother, exonerated him of the murder and, upon going to the electric chair declared that he alone committed the crime.

Losing control of his machine on the sandy road leading to Ashland, Edwin J. Beales, of Richmond, was killed, and C. N. Lukhard, of the same city, was seriously hurt yesterday afternoon about a mile and a half from Ashland. Both men left the city yesterday afternoon in a touring car to attend the Doswell fair, where Lukhard had a concession.

Historic old "Music Hall," near Cismont, one of the most attractive homes in the noted Keswick fox hunting region of Albemarle county was burned to the ground Thursday morning. This, famous old home so intimately associated with people and events of long ago, was built in 1785 by James Hunt Terrell, youngest son of Margaret Douglas Meriwether Terell of "Cloverfields." It was enlarged and remodeled about 1856 by Dr. James Hunter Minor, who made his home there until after the Civil War. The residence was a 12-room brick-nogged structure and was splendidly preserved. The fire is believed to have been caused by a defective flue. There was only $3,000 insurance on the building.

The Democratic convention to nominate a candidate for the State Senate to fill the unexpired term of Colonel J. R. Saunders, who resigned to accept the candidacy for the attorney generalship met Thursday at Saluda and nominated J. Douglas Mitchell, a prominent attorney of Walkerton, King and Queen county, on the fourth ballot.

William Murdock, of Christianburg was taken to a Roanoke hospital Thursday for treatment of injuries received Wednesday when he was struck by a Norfolk and Western freight train near Elkton. He was sent out to flag the train while a section crew made repairs to the roadbed, but fell asleep on the track. When he awoke the train was upon him, the pilot of the engine cutting a deep gash in his right side. The train was brought to a stop before reaching the point where the track was being repaired.

Italy is preparing a massive blow designed—and, the belief here is, destined—to crumple up the Austrian military machine. Cadorna is shifting his forces now for this stroke. It aims, not at Trieste, not—immediately at least—at Vienna, but at the vital and pivotal city of Laibach, beyond the Alps. Italian strategy has decided upon a blow at Laibach, it is declared, for reasons which have been found fundamental in every war which Europe has experienced.

Charged with the murder of O. C. Wilson at a house in Bruce's Park, Norfolk county, Tuesday afternoon, William Eschner went to the Second precinct police station and surrendered himself. Mrs. Nellie M. James, a young white woman, is held as accessory to the crime. The shooting occurred in the house of a Mrs. Blizzard.

L. A. Zimmer, aged forty-four years old, was killed by falling from a train near Toano, on the Chesapeake and Ohio road, Wednesday. Mr. Zimmer had been employed on construction work at Camp Lee and it was presumed he had started for Newport News to engage in similar work, when he accidentally fell from the train at Toano.

Ed. Charles W. Kent, head of the Linden Kent Memorial School of English Literature at the University of Virgina, died suddenly at his home at the university yesterday. Dr. Kent was 56 years old. He was a son of the late Robert M. Kent, of Louisa Courthouse, and a brother of Linden Kent and of Henry T. Kent. He was educated at the University of Virginia, Gottingen, Berlin and Leipzic, receiving his doctorate at the last named university in 1887. He was joint founder and headmaster of the University School, at Charleston, South Carolina. He became head of the English department at the University of Virginia in 1893. Dr. Kent was an active public lecturer for thirty years, was a member of many learned sociaties, author and editor. He married Mrs. Eleanor Miles, daughter of Prof. Francis H. Smith, of the University of Virginia. She, with one daughter, Miss Eleanor Kent, survives.

Judge Pugh in the Washington police court yesterday sentenced four "carriers of liquors" to jail. John Wesley Porter, Giles Va., a railroad foreman, Viktor Hill, a munitions worker at Hopewell; David Briston, dishwasher, Rocky Mount, North Carolina; and John Serles, of Washington, were each given four months. Hill was allowed to pay a $100 fine in lieu of jail sentence. Porter and Hill were tried several days ago. Briston was arrested on a train for Fredericksburg with 23 pints of whisky in a suit case. John Serles claimed that he was taking a little "toddy" to his grandmother when Detective Lillard caught him near Alexandria, with 12 quarts and one pint of whisky.

The Rev. Dr. Alfred Jones, pastor of Opequin Memorial Presbyterian Church, of Kernstown, Frederick county, said to be the oldest church of that denomination in Northern Virginia, died yesterday morning. He was born near Wheeling 73 years ago and after graduation at Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, began his active ministry. He was a member and former moderator of the Virginia Synod.

The old Bristol blast furnace which has stood idle for 10 years, has, it is said, been sold by the Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company for $200,000. It is intimated that the purchase represented Japanese capital, and that the old stack and other parts are to be torn down and removed to an island in the Pacific Ocean.

"Licenses will this year exceed $1,000,000 in revenue to the state," said State Auditor C. Lee Moore yesterday taking the figures from his annual report, which will go to the printer in a few days. This will be an increase of $125,000 for the year. The increase comes almost wholly from merchants. The total covers every subject for which license is required, but the merchants have been operating this year as they have not always been required to do in the past. The law demands that every merchant keep a record of purchases; on this the license tax is based. They are keeping these records, and where they do not they are paying the penalty. The fact is that there is not so much increase in the volume of business, but the higher price of goods is largely responsible for the added revenues.

Tobacco sale totaling $1,000,000 pounds at an average of thirty cents a pound, were closed on the Danville market yesterday. It was the biggest total in 25 years. The market continues at highest activity. Better grades are bringing sixty cents; wormy leaves, formerly left to rot, are bringing sixteen cents. Farmers are strutting daily into automobile stores and paying spot cash for cars.

DIZZY SPELLS

Relieved After Taking Two Bottles Of Cardui, Says Tennessee Lady.

Whitwell, Tenn.—Mrs. G. P. Cartwright, of this place, writes: "About four years ago the dizzy spells got so bad that when I would start to walk I would just pretty near fall. I wasn't past doing my work, but was very much run down.

I told my husband I thought Cardui would help me, as a lady who lived next door to me had taken a great deal, and told me to try it. This was when we were living in Kentucky.

My husband got me a bottle and I took it according to directions. It helped me so much that he went back and got me another bottle. I got a whole lot better and just quit taking it. I got over the dizzy spells...I took no other medicine at that time nor since for this trouble. No, I've never regretted taking Cardui.

I felt just fine when I finished the second bottle."

Purely vegetable, mild and gentle in its action, Cardui, the woman's tonic, may be the very medicine you need. If you suffer from symptoms of female troubles, give Cardui a trial. All druggists. NC-129

PUBLIC SALE.

Of Large Boat and Club House. By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, entered at the September Term, 1917, in the Chancery cause therein depending of Clarke and Winston Co., Inc., who sues etc., Complainants, against Alexandria Motor Boat Club, Inc., Defendant, the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale were therein ordered to expose for sale, at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, defendant's Large Boat house and chattels, located near the plant of the Alexandria County Lighting Company, Alexandria City, Virginia.

Therefore in pursuance of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioners of Sale will expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder said large boat house and chattels, on TUESDAY, October 9th, 1917, at 12 M., in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Virginia, being described as follows, to-wit:

The boat house on the west bank of the Potomac River, belonging to defendant, southeast of the plant of the Alexandria County Lighting Company, and the personal property of defendant therein.

Terms—Cash—or one third cash and balance in 2 equal instalments at 6 and 12 months, secured by reserved title or trust deed. Conveyancing to be at cost of purchaser.

WALTER U. VARNEY,
LEO P. HARLOW,
ROBINSON MONSURE.
Special Commissioners of Sale.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Alexandria City, Virginia, September Term, 1917.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of aforesaid Court, do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above said Special Commissioners of Sale, has duly given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause with United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co., as his surety, for the due performance of his duties as such.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.
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LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE CORPORATION COURT OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

John P. Agnew, Mary Agnew Stratton, and Alexander K. Stratton, her husband, Complainants vs. Frederick Mertens, in his own right, and as Admr., d. b. n. c. t. a. of Park Agnew, Margretta Agnew Demarest and Harry E. Demarest, her husband; Matilda Agnew Rogers and Walter G. Rogers, her husband, M. B. Harlow and John Mitchell, jr., as trustees, and M. B. Harlow, in his own right and as trustee, Defendants. In Chancery.

To John P. Agnew, Mary Agnew Stratton and Alexander K. Stratton, her husband, Frederick Mertens, in his own right, and as admr. d. b. n. c. t. a. of Park Agnew, deceased, Margretta Agnew Demarest and Harry E. Demarest, her husband, Matilda Agnew Rogers and Walter G. Roberts, her husband, M. B. Harlow and John Mitchell, jr., as Trustees, and M. B. Harlow, in his own right and as Trustee, and all other creditors or persons having claims against the estate of the said Park Agnew.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed on the 20th day of October, 1917, at ten o'clock a. m., at my office 115 South Royal Street, Alexandria Virginia, as the time and place when and where I shall proceed to commence to execute the decree rendered by the Corporation Court for the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and entered on the 14th day of September, 1917, in the Chancery cause therein depending, wherein John P. Agnew, et als., are plaintiffs and Frederick Mertens, etc., et als, are defendants, by which decree I, William P. Woolls, was appointed a Special Commissioner in Chancery of said Court and was directed to take, state, ascertain and report to the Court according to said decree, as follows, to-wit:

1. Of what estate, both real and personal, the late Park Agnew died seized and possessed: the assessed and annual value of the said real estate, and liens thereon, with their respective amounts and priorities.

2. All debts and liabilities of the said Park Agnew, with their respective amounts and priorities.

3. To state and settle the accounts of the late Laura B. Agnew, as executrix of the said Park Agnew; Frederick Mertens, admr., d. b. n. c. t. a. of the said Park Agnew, Frederick Mertens as collector of the rents, issues and profits of the real estate the said Park Agnew died seized and possessed, M. B. Harlow, as trustee in a deed of trust dated September 19th, 1910, recorded in Deed Book No. 60, page 239, a Land Record of Alexandria City, and M. B. Harlow and John Mitchell, Jr., as trustees in a deed of trust dated September 2nd, 1912, recorded in Deed Book No. 62, page 307, a Land Record of said City.

4. To marshal all the assets of the estate of said Park Agnew for payment of debts.

5. Any other matter or thing that any party to this suit may require or to him may seem material, pertinent or proper.

At which time and place you are required to attend, subject to all proper adjournments and continuances, until completion of the said reference, and to bring such documents, books, or other evidence as may be required at any time by Special Commissioner, and such depositions are to be taken as may be necessary to show the facts in this cause.

Given under my hand as Special Commissioner of said Court this 2nd day of October, 1917.

Wm. P. WOOLLS, Special Commissioner in Chancery for the Corporation Court in Alexandria City, Virginia.
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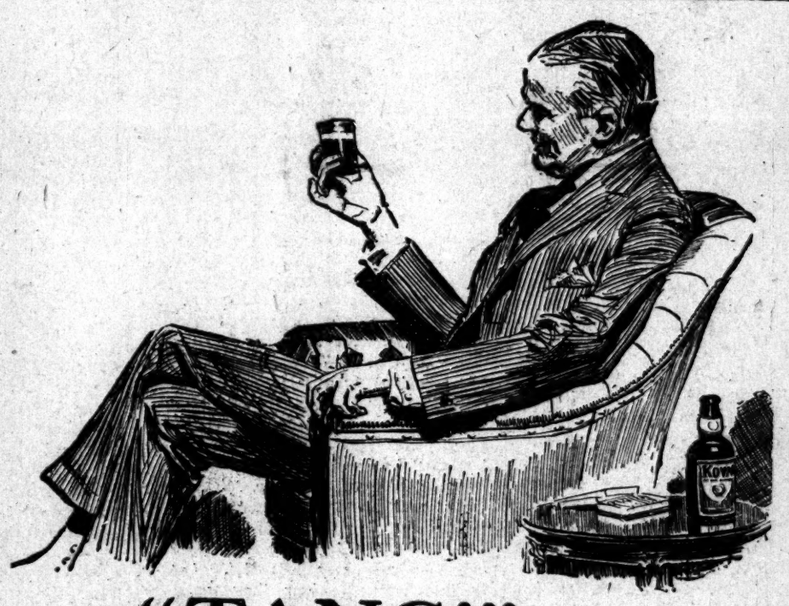
SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice.

The Directors of the German Co-operative Building Association No. 5 have declared a dividend of $7.50 per share in the sixth series for the last nine months ending September 30, 1917. This will mature and close that series according to article 3, section 2 of its Constitution. Each share paid up to September 30, 1917 is worth $200 and redeemable on and after November 1st, 1917. A new series (twelfth) will commence January 1st, 1918, with a limited number of shares. Subscription book for shares is now open at their office.
237-4t J. SCHNEIDER, Secy.



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"The Countess Charming"

Richmond, Monday, October 8

Mr. Eltinge has won fame and a host of friends as the greatest impersonator of women in the world. He looks like a girl, speaks like a girl, you can't tell him from a girl.

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Richmond Tonight, Theda Bara in "Her Greatest Love"

Surprise Tonight, Marjorie Rambeau in "Mary Moreland"

Notice Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company will be held at the office of the Company on the 5th day of November, 1917, at ten (10) o'clock a. m., for the purpose of the election of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. Among the other matters to be taken up at this meeting will be an appropriation of one thousand ($1000) dollars for the Alexandria Hospital which was duly recommended by the Board of Directors.
236-5t. GEO. UHLER, Secy.

RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY SYSTEM

N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information. Not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria:

4:27 a. m., Daily—Memphis Special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Lynchburg, Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, Washington sleeping cars open after 10:00 p. m. Dining car.

7:47 a. m., Daily—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

8:17 a. m., Daily—Local to stations between Manassas and Charlottesville and limited beyond to Atlanta. Coaches only.

9:17 a. m., Daily—U. S. fast mail. Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans. Sleeping car Salisbury to Asheville. Dining car.

4:02 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local to Harrisonburg. Buffet parlor car.

4:22 p. m., Daily—Local to Charlottesville. Parlor car to Warrenton, daily except Sunday.

5:12 p. m., Daily—Birmingham Special. Coaches and sleeping cars to Atlanta and Birmingham. Dining car. Daily tourist car to California.

5:22 p. m., Daily except Sunday—Local for Warrenton.

7:17 p. m., Daily—Augusta Special, Coaches and sleeping cars to Charlotte, Columbia, Aiken and Augusta. Sleeping cars to Asheville. Dining car.

10:02 p. m., Daily—Washington & Chattanooga Limited. (Via Lynchburg). Coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, New Orleans. Dining car.

11:02 p. m. Daily—New York & New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, Club and Observation cars to Atlanta and New Orleans. Sleeping car to Macon. Dining car.

S. D. SHELTON,
Union Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.
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Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect July 2, 1917.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 8:23, 8:33, 10:38, 10:45 a. m. 12:01, 1:28, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 5:14, 5.53, 8:23, 11:33 p. m.

Saturdays only, 4:15 p. m., and Sundays only 8:08 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:52 (local) and 9:47, a. m. 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 7:02, 9:47 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 11:18 a. m. daily and 2:35 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:30 p. m. daily for stations Lorton to Fredericksburg inclusive.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

Maryland, Delaware and Virginia Railway Co.

Steamers of this line leave Alexandria every Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday, at 4:45 p. m.

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THE WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In effect June 21, 1915.

Subject to Change Without Notice. Leave Alexandria For Washington—Daily Except Sundays and Holidays.

A. M.----5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20, 7 30, 7 40, 7 50, 8 00, 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40; 10 00, 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, Noon 12 00.

P. M.----12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40; 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55

Sunday and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10, 7 30, 7 50, and 8 10 A. M and 11 55 P. M.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.

A. M.---Week Days---5 35, 8 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 20.—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 30, 5 35, 6 40, 7 35, 8 32, 10 20, 11 50.

Sunday as above except 8 30 and 9 55 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.